The Share Market.

LATEST QUOTATIONS. Hongkong and Shanghal Bank,-100 per cent. prem, siles and sellers. The National Bank of China, Ld.-on £8.0.0.

paid up,-\$16, sales and buyers.
The National Bank of China, Ld.-Founders shares, nominal. The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ld .--

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Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$59 per share, sales and sellers. China Traders' Insurance Company-\$55 per

share, sellers. North China Insurance-Tls. 145 per share, Canton Insurance Company,' Limited-\$137 per

share, ex. div., buyers. Yangtsze Insurance Association—\$60, sellers. On Tal Insurance Company, Limited-Tis. 15 per share.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$210 per shale, buyers, China Fire Insurance Company-\$81 per share,

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Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited -372 per cent. discount, sales and buyers. Douglas Steamship Company-\$41, sales and

The Steam Launch Co., Limited-\$20 per share, Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company-80 per cent. premium, sales and sellers. Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited-\$18 per share,

Hongk ng Hotel Company-\$13 per share, Hongkonn Hotel Co.'s Six per-cent. Debentures

The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited-\$4 per share, sellers, The Shameen Hotel Co., Limited-\$4 per share, sellers

Punjom Mining Co.—\$7} per share, sales and The Raub Gold Mining Co., Limited-\$4.70 per share, ex. div., sales and buyers.

Sr pershare, sales and buyers. Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin -\$75.ver share, buvers. The Island Mining and Trading Co., Limited-

The Balmorel Gold Mining Co., Limited-

.₹5} sales and buyers. London and Pacific Petroleum Co. Ld.—ner. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$182 per share, sales and sellers. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$35

A. S. Watson & Co., L'mited-\$101, sellers. Dakin, Cruickshank & Co., Limited-\$13 per share, sales and buyers. Hongking Dalry Farm Co.; Limited-\$53 per

share, sales and buyers. The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited-Ig per share, sellers. The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited-\$55 sales and sellers.

The West Point Buildings Co., Limited-\$20. per share, sellers. " . H. G. Brown & Co., Limited-\$8 per share, buyers. "4"

Company-\$34 per share, sellers. Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Mrs. Walker, Messrs. Bernard, Parnes, and 268 Limited-\$100 per share, sales and buyers. Chinese,

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The Green Island Cement Co,-\$51, sales and The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited-\$39, inles and buyers.

The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Limited-

\$25 per share, nominal. The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co.,

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Shipping.

ARRIVAYA.

GLENORCHY, British steamer, 1,821, J. F. rguson, 11th Jan. - London, and Singapore 3rd Jan. General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. DIOMED, British steamer, 1,462, T. Hannah, 11th Jan., -Singapore 2nd Jan., General. -

Butterfield & Swire. TELAMON, British steamer, 1,558, M. H. F. Jackson, 11th Jan.,-Liverpool 30th Nov., LIENSHING, British steamer, 1,100, W. O. Young,

11th Jan.,-Wuhu 7th Jan., Rice.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. MICHAEL JEBSEN, German steamer, 710, H. Schlaikler, 11th Jan.,-Mojl 6th January,

Coal .- Wieler & Co. RIVERSDALE, British steamer, 1,311, Ed. Peck,

dine. Matheson & Co. FOOKSANG, British steamer, 991, Spencer Wilde. 11th Jan .- Wuhu 7th Jan., General .-Jardine, Matheson & Co. YIKSANO, British steamer, 987, J. H. Bowker,

11th Jan.,-Wuhu 6th January, Rico.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. HOIHOW, British steamer, 896, W. B. Hardinge, 11th Jan.,—Java 29th Dec., Sugar.— Butterfield & Swire.

FORIEN, British steamer, 508, W. Davis, 12th Jan ... Tamsul 8th January, Amoy 10th, and Swatow toth, General .- D., Lapraik

OCEANIEN, French steamer, 2,080, R. Schmitz andela 15th, Port Sald 16th, Sues 16th, Aden 21st, Colombo 29th, Singapore 4th Jan., and Salgon 8th, Mails and General .-Messagerles Maritimes.

FLENOGLE, British steamer, 2,500, W. E. Duke, 12th Jan .. - Shanghal 9th Jan., General .- Gov. GENL. JACOB. Dutch steamer, 1,569, N Jardine, Matheson & Co. HESPERIA, German steimer, 1,123, Will, 12th

Jan., -Salgon 25th Jan , Kice and Paddy. -Slemssen & Co. ALWINE, German steamer, 400, C. Petersen, 12th Jan.,-Hoihow 11th Jan., General .-Wieler & Co.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE Hslnyu, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai. Freir, Danish steamer, for Holhow. Telamon, British steamer, for Shanghal. Haiphone, French steamer, for Halphong.

DEPARTURES.

January II, Tailes, German str., for Swatow. January 12, Pronto, German str., for Salgon. January 17, Cicero, British steamer, for Salgon. January 12, Hsinyu, Chinese str., for Shanghai. sanuary 12, Hongkong, French str., for Hai-

January 12 'Loo Sok, British str., for Singapore. lanuary 12 Teheran, British sir., for Nagasaki. January 12, Halphong, French str., for Hai-January 12, Taichiow, British str., for Bangkok.

January 12, Hailoong, British steamer, for Swatow, &c.

PASSENGERS—ARRIVED Per Glenogie, from Shanghai.--- Mr. Hardy

for London. Per Foklen, from Tamsui and Amoy .- Mr. W. P. Maclean, Mr. Boncey, and 61 Chinese. Per Telamon, from Liverpool, &c .- Mr. Ross, and 35 Chinese for Hongkong, For Manila.-Mr. and Mrs. Cundall and 3 children, For Yokohama.-Mr. Dale.

Per Lienshing, from Wuhu .- Mrs., Miss and Master Glilles. Per Diomed, from Singapore.-200 Chinese. Per Glenorchy, from London, &c .- Mr. and

Per Oceanien, from Marseilles for Hongkong, -Mr. and Mrs. Schurch, Mr. and Mrs. Bertholn. Mr. and Mrs. Sprungli, child and servant, Mr. and, Mrs. Gerpa and child, Revs. Si liet, Gonin, Pallaget, Messrs. Howard, de Motharel, and C. Lafrentz. From Alexandria,-Mr. Bourjeold. From Singapore,-Messrs, T. M. Dow, James Murray, McKinley, and 7 Chinese. From Salgon.-Messes. Bods, Brandeburg, de Respatdiza, de Moutizon, Trudt, Woelz and servant, and 99 Chinese. From Marseilles for Shanghal. -Mr. and Mrs. Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Gbilardl, Miss Naggi, Messrs W. D. Little, Popenti, Razanigi, and 3 missionaries. From Alexandria. -Mr. and Mrs. Ostrover Skhow and infent From Calcutta.-Mr. Stempel. From Marseilles for Kobe .- Rev. Fager. From Sin-apore .-Mrs. Osayotu, Messrs. Yamamuto and Osami, From Marseilles for Yokohama,-Rev. Bomani, Messrs. Ushida, Nukurai, Fauguchi, Y.-Rosen-

REPORTS

thal, and Souzouki. From Alexandria .- Messrs.

Rejdestrensky and Stein. From Singapore.-

Mr. Seuchi Tsuda.

The British steamship Glenogie reports that she left Shanghai on the 9th instant, and had very fine weather throughout. The British steamship Riversdale reports that she left Hongsy on the 9th instant. Had mederate north-east winds and sen.

The British steamship Glenorchy reports that she left London, and Singapore on the 3rd instant. Had strong montoon with high ses. The British steamship Lienshing seports that she left Wuhu on the 7th instant. Had moderate winds and following sea with fine clear

The British stesm hip Fooksang reports that she left Wuhu on the 7th instant. Had moderate to fresh north-north west to north-east winds and fine weather with smooth sea.

The Bilijah steamship Diomed .zports that she left Singapore on the and instant. Had strong monsoon from Horsburgh close up to Gap Rock, with heavy sea but fine clear weather, The British steamship Yiksang reports that she left Wuhu on the 6th instant. Had fine clear weather and moderately light north-east winds with following sea. : On the 10th passed

the steemship Pickill off Turnsbout, The British steamship Fokies reports that she left Tamsul on the 8th Instant. Had moderate monsoon and following sea to post. Left Amoy on the roth. Had light monsoon and fine weather with smooth sea to port. Left Swatow on the 11th and had light breeze with fine weather and smooth sea to port.

The titlah steamship Telamon reports that she left Liverpool on the 30th November. Had hard noith-cust gales through Bay of Biscay and strong north-east monsoon through Indian Ocean to Singapore. Left Singapore on the evening of the 4th instant and experienced moderate to strong monsoon; arrived here on the

Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE -For Swatow and Bangkok.—Per Mangkut tomorrow, the 13th instant, at 7.30 A.M. For | Straits and Calcutte.-Per Arrathen Aprar to-morrow, the 13th instant, at 11:30

For Shanghal.--Per Wanchang to-morrow, the fath instant, at 11 30 A.M. 13th instant, at 1.30 P.M.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG

PTRAMERS.

ALBERT, Norw. steamer, 451, Frgens, 10th Jan., -Wuhu 5th January, Rice -Wieler & Co. ARRATOON APCAR, British steamer, 1,302, [E. Hansen, 7th Jan.,-Calcutta 20th Dec., Penang 27th, and Singapore 30th, Oplum and General -D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.

ARIAKI MARU, Japanese steamer, 1 905. A. Murray, roth Jan.,-Kutchinotau 5th Jan., Coal -Mitaul Bussan Kelsha. and Singapore 4th Jan., General.-Butter. Ask, Danish steamer, 592, Revsbeck, 10th

January,-Halphong Sth. Jan., and Holhow 9th, General .- A. R. Marty, BANTAM, Dutch steamer 1.457, C. J. van de Bergh, 19th July, -Bangkok 13th July, Rice. -- Lauts, Wegener & Co.

CHINA, German steamer, 1,114, P. Voss, 8th Jan.,-Saigon 31st Dec., Rice.-Melchers 11th Jan.,-Hongay 9th Jan, Coals.-Jar. | CHUSAN, German steamer, 623, W. Wendt, 11th Jan.,-Iloilo 6th January, General -Tung

> DECIMA, German steamer 965. C. Christensen, noth Jan.,-Bangkok 29th Dec., Rice.-Siemssen & Co. DEUTEROS, German steamer, 1,192, W. A. Dinse,

ach Dec.,-Samarang 12th Dec., Sugar,-Slemssen & Co. EMPRESS OF CHINA, British steamer, 3,007, R. Archibald, R. N.R., and Jan, -- Vancouver 10th Dec., Victoria 11th, Yokohama 26th, Kobe 27th, Nagazaki 20th, and Shanghai

31st, General.-C. P. R. Co. FAME, British steamer, 117, Captain Melsage, -Hongkong Government tender. 12th Jan., Marseilles 10th Dec., Alex. FREJR, Danish steamer, 397, C. L. Strand, 11th andels 15th. Port Said 16th. Suez 16th. Jan., Pakhol 8th January, and Holhow

10th, General.-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. FU-PING. Chinese steamer, 526, J. Watts, 10th Jan .- Canton 10th Jan., General -- C. E. & M. Co.

Kammerga, 6h January .. - East Indies (Menado), 28th Dec., General.-Lauts, Wegener & Co. HONGAY. British steamer, 1,563, James Young, 6th Jan .-- Pasceroean 27th D.c., Sugar .-

Jardine, Matheson & Co. MORAY British steamer, 1.411, W. S. Thomson. reth Jan. - Moji 6th Jan., Coals. - Dodwell, Carlill & Co.

MONGKUT, British steamer, 862, Chas. Stonham, oth Jan .- Bangkok toth Dec., and Anghin 1st Jan., General. -Yuen Fat Hong. NORMANDIE, Norwegian steamer, 628, E. A. Berg, 11th Jan .. - Bangkok 31st Dec., Rice. -Meichers & Co.

NURNBERG, German steamer, 3,207, H. Walter, 8th Jan .. - Nagasaki 4th Jan .. Mails and General.-Melchers & Co. PERU American steamer, 3,528, D. E. Friele,

6th Jan .- San Francisco oth Dec., and Yokohama 1st Jan., Mails and General.-P. M. S. S. Co. PHRA NANG, British steamer, 1,021, W. H Watton, 11th Jan., -Bangkok 2nd January,

Rice and General.—Yuen Fat Hong. PICCIOLA, German steamer, 768, E. Hass, 22nd Dec.,-Salgon 15th Dec., Rice.-Melchers | Pers (via Nagasaki,) PILOT FISH, Br't'sh stenmer, 161, A. Stopani,

-Hongkong and Whampos Dock Co. POLLUX, German steamer, 898, J. Gefken, 26th Nov.,-Sourabaya 8th Nov., and Singapore 14th, Sugar and General.-Melchers PROPONTIS, British steamer, 1,390, W. H.

Farrand, 28th Dec.,-Singapore 19th Dec., General.—Chu Wo Lan. PROTOS, German steamer, 947, H. Johannsen, 4th Jan.,-Moli 30th Dec., Coal.-Wieler RECORDER, British telegraph steamer, 676, R. A.

E. Brereton, 19th Dec.,-Hainan Bay 18th Dec., Telegraph cable.-E. E. A. & C. Teleorsph Co. SOOCHOW, British steamer, ogg, N. Martin, 10th Jan.,-Moji (Japan), 5th Jan., Coals-But-

terfiold & Swire. SUNGRIANG, British steamer; 994, C. B. N. Dodd, 11th January,-Manila 8th January, General.-Butterfield & Swire. TAIYUAN, British steamer, 1,762. D. Tilburn, 11th

Jan.,-Kobe 6th January, General.-Butterfield & Swire. . TOYO MARU, Japanese steamer, 1,500, J. G. Edwards, 28th D.c.,-Woji 23rd Dec., Matches and Coal .- Dodwell, Carlill & Co.

TURBO, British steamer, 2,659, W. Townsend, Ict | Jan.,-Batoum 27th Nov., Petroleum.-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. VICTORIA. British steamer, 1,992, John Panton,

R.N.R., 9th Jan., -Tacoma (Wash.), 14th Dec. General.-Dodwell, Carlill & Co. WINGSANG, British steamer, 1,517, A. de St. Croix, 31st Dec ,- Calcuita 13th Dec. Prinang 20th Dec., and Singapore 23rd Oplum and General .- Jardine, Matheson

WOOSUNG, British steamer, 1,884, D. A. G. King, 7th Jan.,-Moj 3rd Jan., Coal,-Butterfield

ALPRED HAWLEY, British bark, 412, W. Llowellyn, 15th Nov.,-Whampon 15th November, Ballast .- Order. ANDRIANA, British shio, 2,395, Richards, 7th

Jan.,-New York 23rd August, Petroleum,-BANGALORE, British bark, 1,100, Congdon, 4th Dec.-New York 28th July, Rice. - Shewan

Basuro German bark, 348, H. Eggers, 14th Oct ,-Amoy 4th Oct., Sugar .- Wieler & Co. BERLIN, American ship, 1,552, Whitmore, 21st Nov.-New York 10th June, Kerosene Oll.

CLARA JACKSON, Brilish schooner, 32, Charles Butchart, 3rd Dec .- Sydney 21st March, General-Gibb, Livingston & Co. KITTY, British bark, 803, H. Wilson, 1st Dec.,--Whampon 1st December, Ballast,-

Captain. LOTHAIR, It lian bank, 794, Juan B. Cafranga, 30th Nov.,-Callao 30th Oct., General,-D. Musso & Co.

MACMILLAN, British ship, 1,450, Robert Guthrie, 4th Dec.,-Cardiff 22nd July, Coals.-MARTHA BOCKHAHN, German ship, 726, Ed. Melacke, 11th Oct.,-Philadelphia 21st May,

Petroleum,-Order. MOUNT WASHINGTON, American ship, 1,162, Louis W. Ros, 6th Jan,-Kutchinotsu 28th Dec. Coal.-Captalo. YAM SHUN SING, Chinese 3-m. sch., 368 Lok Li Tong, 3rd August,-Saigon 24th August,

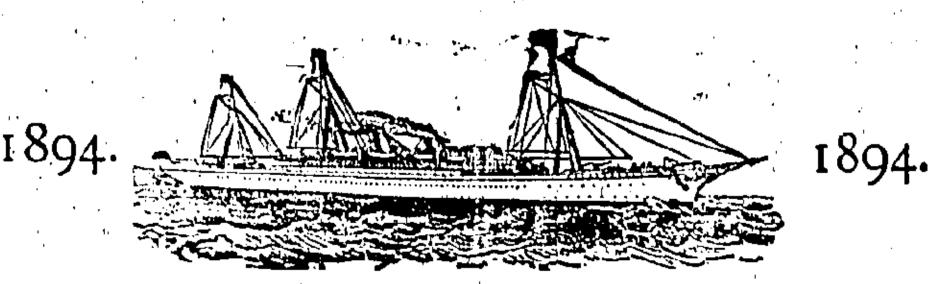
Wood.—Yong Kee & Co. SERRANO, American bark, 596, R. G. Waterhouse, a6th Dec .- Macao : 23rdr. Dec., General.-Order WM. J. ROTCH, American ship, 1.664, S. Laccaster, 24th Nov.,-New York 23td

June, Petroleum, Melchers & Co.

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Mr. August's je Dimocrat, tist, ib (incl. 516. Mr. Rams sy's b. Congo triat. 11lb. (mcl. 10lb.) extra)Mr. Bartleet 2 Mr. Buyd's ro. Dunoon, Hac Hb......

Mr. Hart Buck 1 A considerable amount of speculation took place on this event and notwithstanding Congo's heavy penalty the hopes of the Foochow division were high. Unfortunately this was the work start of the meeting, fongo being left hopelessly behind, while Mr. Dillas, making every post a winning post on the sturdy grey, landed him a winner by a short neck in the respectable time of 1 min. 37 3.5 secs.

FORRET CUP, presented by R. J. Forrest Esq.; for all ponies fi at raced as Griffins at Amoy; half entrance fees to the winner; weights as per so le; entrance \$5 O e mile.

Mr. Pug's wh. Expectation, 10st. 12lb...... Mr. Master 1 Mr. Boyd's gr. Durkeld, vost. 1216..... Mr. Hart Buck 2

Mr. Dryasdust's cr. Pegasus, tost. 9'b.....

Mr. Marshall 3 The expensive and disappointing Dunkeld was looked upon as a maral, but failed to get nearer than second place; Pegasus beaten off. Time 2 min, 23 2-5 secs,

TE MAA-CHIN PLATE, presented; value \$340; 1st pony to receive 75 per cent.; and 25 per cent; for Amoy, Foothow. Switow and Formesa owned ponies; griffins at date of entry allowed 5lbs.; winner of a race at this meeting of 13 miles or ever 51bs. extra, if of two such races 7lbs. extr : weights as per scale; entrance \$10. One mile and a balf. Mr Bruce's br. Timekeeper, 11st. (incl. 5lb.

ex.)Mr. Master 1 Mr. August's b. Aristocia', "11st. 1lb...... Mr. Dallas 2

Mr. Dryasdust's gr. Shawnee, 11st. 11b..... Mr. Maclean 3 Mr. Royd's g. Dunkeld, fost, olb. (incl. 2lb. extra)Mr. Hart Buck o Mr. Dyascust's g. Cohweb, 11st. 6lb. (incl. 5lb. extra).....Mr. Marshall o

Dunk ld was again sent out for an alring but did not seem to relish nor improve under the second dese." Of the crowd Timekeeper was the most far cied: Aristociat being next in demand. It was during this race, that the row air ady referred to occurred, but it is doubtful it i influenced the result in any way unless, terhaps in honest old Cobweb's case; he was knocked out of his stride but the odds are that the pare was a bl: too last for him. Timekrep-r and Du keld made running from Aristocrat whose mearest neighbour was Shawnee, Cobweb lying last, and it was in these respective positions. that the ponies raced through and over the youngsters,.' From the wall to the winning posa grand race ensued between Aristocrat and Timekeeper but the little brown being the speedier of the two was the first to catch the Judge's eye. Shawnee was well up. Time 3 mins 27 2-5ths secs

COAST CUP, preser led; value \$100; and pony \$25 for Amov Subscription G iffi s of this sees n: winners tlis, ex m for each race won; previous remestacters of br. ex ra; weights as par se le; entrance \$5. Once round and a distance.

Mr. Schabert's to. Freischutz, 11st. 11b Mr. Marshall Mr. Obnitette's dun All Fours, rist. 4 b Mr. Maclean Mr. Thorn's ch. Kidak, 17st. ib...... Mr. Dallas

Mr. Wi'll is g. Mayflower 10tt. 171b..... Mr. Bartieet o

This was a complete upset-the pa'pable result of a very traifferent start. Frei chitz shot off with a lead of three lengths and was never headed aith ugh All Fours made a couple of spiried spurts. The feature of this event was that not a single chance had been taken on the winner in the flart mutuel 1 Kodak was well up at the finish. Time I min 18 1-5ths sees.

THIRD DAY, - WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10TH,

.day's recing than in either of the preceding ones, by the fair sex, anyhow, for by sanctified custom it is on that day that they are specially privileged to display their "horsey" tastes and sympathies. However, if the "field" that turned out for the Ladies' Purse to-day can be taken as a criterion, the wemen of Amoy connot well lay the flattering unction to their souls that they are the props and the pillars of pony racing there. For a prize which is usually the most coveted of any at race meetings in China, only two gallants could be found to d battle, and their mounts were nominated from the same stable! Apart from this little force the racing was again raj yable and the finishes, notably in the Champions, close and exciting. The result of this race was, of course, tremendous upset, for only Congo and Timekeeper were thought of. Dunoon may have been backed by his own immediate friends and followers, but it is doubtful if he carried a single outside dellar. His win, however, seemed to be a very popular one and there is no denying the fact that his plucky backer deserved his good luck. The win, too, was the means of spreading fortune's favours pretty evenly over the contending stables.

FORMOSA CUP, presented; value \$250; for all ponies first raced as Griffi s at Amoy or Foothow; winners of one rac" 7lbs. extig, of two or more races joins, extra; weights as per scale; entrance \$;. One mile and a quarter. Mr. Drygadust's gr. Cobweb, 11st. 8 b. (ircl. Mr. Boyd's gr. Dut ke'd, tost, 12lb..... Mr. Heat Buck 2 Mr. Quartetto's dun All Fours, 11st. 4b.....

Mr. Maclean 3 Mr. Pug's wh. Excectation, 11st. 5lb. (incl. The speedy Dunkeld (a not altogether we thy successor to the only great and original "Dunky") went off at score but on the second journey

procession. Time 2min, 50 4/5 secs. LEDGER CUP, presented; value \$100; and pone \$25; for all China ponier; winners 5lbs. extra for each race won; weights as per scale;

entrance \$5. One mile. Mr. Boyd's ro. Duncon, 11st. 1lb......

Mr. Hart-Buck 1 Mr. August's b. Aristocrat, zzst. zib...... Mr. Dallas 2

Mr. MacArthur's gr. Steadfast, xxst. 3lb. (i cl. Mr. Boyd's b!. Petronel, 10st. 9lb., Mr. Master o Dur con and Steadfast had the best of the London, December 21st .-- To Yokohama: Mr. field at the start and the roan making the most | and Mrs. Wilson and child, Mr. Arthur Hyde of his speed soon assumed a lead of a Lay. To Shanghai: Mrs. Wilson, Miss Wilson length and secured the rails. On the last and infant. To Hongkong : Sergeant W. Baker, run from the wall Aristocrat came with a Mrs. Baker, and family, Mr. D. Wood, Mr. John grand rush and collared Steadlast, but was not Blake. quite soon enough to get even with Duncon. Time 2 mins 9 4-5th secs.

LADIES PURSE presented; for all China ponies; I and Mrs. T. B. Van Mitter. to be siden by residents of Amoy, Foothow entrance \$5. Once round,

Mr. Dryasdust's cr. Primrose, Eist. Alb,,,,,,... Mr. Marshall Mr, Waffic's gr. Mayflower, 11st, 4lb,....,,,,,

To the surprise of many and doubtless to the (genteelly suppressed) disgust of not a few of the fair donors, only two ponies turned out for this race which was a walk- ver for Primrose, Mr. Bartleet only rding Mayflawer to prevent it from becoming an absolute " circus." Primrose walked home in 1 mins 184 secs. The purse, tegether with a pretty and appropriate little speech, was presented by Miss Saunde s and Mr. Marshall suitably responded. It would have been a fit and proper occasion for the indulgence of a little quiet sercasm but somehow there does not seem to be even an atom of guile

LOTTERY CUP, value \$100; and pony \$25; for Amoy Subscription Griffins of this sesson winner of Hackwan Cup or Chaaszo Cup 51bs. exign; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. One mile and a half,

Mr. Pug's b. Fidget, 11st. 6!b. (incl. 5lb. ex.) Mr. Master Mr. Dubbulew's gr. Common, 11st. 1lb...... Mr. Maclean 2 Mr. Grunenwald's cr. Evolution, 11st. 11b...... Mr. Dallas 3

The meeting of Common and Fideet, the two best "subs," of the meeting, was looked forward to with interest but notwithstanding his penalty the bay proved himself the faster of the pair although it may be questioned if there would have bern much to choose between them had the rider of Common not made the mistake of but could not recover his lost ground. The time, 3 mins, 35 ?-5ths secs., indicates the manner in which the race was run.

CONSOLATION CUP, value \$100; 2nd pony to receive \$25; for all beaten ponies that have run a d not won a race at this meeting: weights as per scale; entrance \$5. One mile. Mr. August's b. Aristociat, 11st. 1lh......

Mr. Dallas i Mr. Boyd's dun Duncraggan, rost. 121b...... Mr. Hat Buck 2 Mr. Boyd's gr. Dunkeld, tost. 121b, Mr. Master 3 Mr. Dryasdust's gr. Shawnee, 11st. 1lb......

Mr. Marshall o Aristocrat and Dunkeld led the field for half a mile when the latter cried a go, leaving Mr. August'a bay to romp in as he liked in 2 mins.

16 secs.

CHAMPION STAKES, a forced entry of \$16 each for all wirners at this meeting, except Nil Desperandum Stakes; winners of two races \$15 extra, of more than two races \$30 extra non winners excluded; weights as per scale. One mile and a quarter.

Mr. Boyd's re. Dunoon, 11st. 11b..... Mr. Hart Buck t Mr. Bruce's br. Timekeeper, 10st. 91b

Mr. Master 2 Mr. August's b. Aristocrat, 11st. 11b Mr. Dallas 3 Mr. Ramsay's b. Congo, 11st. 1lb. Mr. Bartleet o Mr. Dryasdust's g. Cobweb, 11st. 1lb, Mr. Maclean o

Mr. August's g. Democrat, 10st. 12lb...... Mr. Wilson o Mr. Diyasdust's cr. Primiose, 11s'. 1lb......

Mr. Marshall o atlended by Primroso whose mission it was to that town. make the pace a warm one with a view to paying the way for Cobweb; the latter, however, was slow to get on his pins and lobbed leisurely along in company with Aristocrat and Naturally more interest was taken in the third Democrat. On the turn for home it was seen that Congo was absolutely out of it, he being unable to hold his own against Timekeeper while Duncon was yet again sheed by half alength, with both Aristocrat and Cobweb coming along with wet sails; the latter especially seem d full of running and made a bold bid for victory but the distance was a bit too short. In the meantime Timekeeper and Dunoon were racing for all they were worth with Aristocrat and Congo a length or so behind them but the roan had the legs of the brown and passed the post with a head to the good; Aristocrat a fair third, Time 2 mins. 45 secs.

> NIL DESPERANDUM STAKES, of \$5 each, with \$50 added ; and puny to receive \$25 ; for al besten Amoy Subscription Griffion of this season; weights as per scale. Once round and a distance,

Mr. Trio's ch. Engineer, rost, olb,,,,,,,,, Mr. Hart Buck Mr. Diyasdust's cr. Pegasus, 10st. 9'b...... Mr. Marshall 2

Mr. McThorn's ch. Kodak, 11st. 11b.. Mr. Dillan 3 Mr. Quartotte's dun All Fours, 11st 4lb Mr. Maclean O

Mr. Wrffle's gr. Mayflower, 11st. olb."(incl. Pegasus on the outside broke away with the lead and jamming the field in on the ralls caused things to be a bit mixed for a mement or two depriving Kodak, Mayflower and All Fours of whatever chances they may have previously had. Engineer, although lame, ran a game little pony and was cleverly landed a winner from Pegasus in a min, 16 4-5th secs.

PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR THE FAR EAST.

Per P. and O. steamer Himalaya, from London, Dec. 8th,-To Yokohama . Miss H. S. round was overhauled by Cobweb; thence a Spicer, Miss Evans. To Hiogo: Mr. H. B. Ciayton. To Shanghai : Miss S. A. Anstie. To Hongkong: Miss Pugh, Mrs. Walker and Infant, Mr. Cameron, Mr. A. Inglis.

> Per P. and O. steamer Peshawur, from London, December 8th,--To Yokohama: General A. Lyttleton Annesley and valet,

> Per P. and O. steamer Ballaarat, from London, Dec. 14th,-To Yakohama, via Bombay : Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Brandram and children. From B indist,-To Yokohama, via Per P. and O. steamer Parramatta, from

Per P. and O. steamer Rome, from London, December 20th .- Brindlei to Yokohama : Dr.

Per P. and O. steamet Britannia, from Lonor Formosa; caich weights over tist. 4ibs.; don January 5th .- To Nokohama; Mr. Hugh Fraser, Colonel W. D. Samuells, Miss Alice Inovelties in London. The English process are log. Several prominent engineers expressed Gadsby. To Hiogo: Miss Crown. To Hongkong : Miss Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Woolley and child, Mr. John Keles. From Ismailla. | Increased from 240 per 100,000 population in 1880 | voted to build a trial machine big queues to Mr. Bartleet & | To Yokohuma | Mr. Gillgan.

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February 2nd .- To Yokohama : Mr. W. H Player, Mr. R. G. Lawson. Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Saghalien.

from Marseilles, December 24th .- To Yokohama: Mr. Haidhu, Mr. Inok', Viscount and Viscountess Kiwaić. To Hongkong: Mr. T. Wilson.

Per Messageries Maritimes ateamer Sydney from Marseilles, January 7th .- To Shanghai : Mr. and Mrs. Stepharlus. To Yokohama: Ms. Waylen.

Per Messageries Marithmes stramer Oxus, from Merseilles, February 4th.—To Shanghal : Mr. J. Wilson. Per Canadian Pacific steamer Empress of

Yukohama: Mr. and Mrs. Blum.

Under the above heading the New York Daily America publishes the following amusing

THE AMOY CONSULATE.

Dr. Edward Bedloe, late Consul at Amoy, taking the second round for the last; indeed, it// China, relierates his statement about the white i doubtful if all three riders did not fall into the ante which infest that city and declares that it same error for they passed the stand the is absolutely true. "The most interesting things second time riding for all they were worth in Amoy," he says, " are the white ants. They making a brilliant but mistaken finish of it with devour everything edible, walk all over the rot a head between them. Fidget's "jock," premises, break up dinner parties and bite like however, was the first to realize the state of | tarantulas. The official announcement which I affairs and shot into the rails with an advantage | made that they had tackled everything in the of two clear lengths, while the other p is started | consulate except the iron safe did not keep pulling up. Common was soon under weigh again | about a hundred gentlemen from applying for the situation. The conclusion was at once drawn that I was putting up a job to keep the place, and the applicants worked all the harder." It will be remembered that of all the good Dimocrats who applied for the Amoy Consulate, and they included men distinguished in many callings and in both civic and military life, the practiced eye of Joslah Quincy selected Virgini is favorite son, Col. J. Hampton Hoge, of Roanoke,

to be Dr. Hedlne's successor. Mr. Q incy claims to be something of a phrenologist and an expert in passing judgment upon the genus homo. In the gallant Virginia Colonel he saw all the qualities which go to make the ideal consul. There were two bumps upon the Colonel's cranium which in particular attracted Mr. Quincy's attention, one indicating marked enthusiasm in anything which he undertook, and the other great staving power.

The Colonel was congratulated on all sides upon his success and Phrenologist Quincy was complimented up n his rare good judgment in choosing from half a hundred applicants a man to admirably fitted to be Consul at Amoy.

As events have proved, the phenomenally developed humns upon the Colonel's cranium before mentioned warranted Quincy in placing the estimate he did upon two of the Colonel's strong points.

. The first work which he under nok subsequent to his appointment was to "tank up" on Kentucky "red licker." On the very day that he left the red hills of old Virginia this enthusiasm began to show itself, and but for Grover day, Cleveland's meddlesome ways it would have been a feature of his journey all the way to the Flowery Kingdom.

The Colonel's j g, which is now a matter of record in the archive, of the State Department This was perhaps the prettiest race of the and has become popular history, has already meeting and a though it resulted in a general been described in this paper. The Colonel upset Dun on's victory was a decidedly popular stayed with it all the way across the continent. one, the triendly rivalry in the matter of sport | And he came back with it too, ever faithful and which exists between Foochow and Amoy, no isteadiast. At last accounts the remarkable is in good spilits. doubt accounting for a fall share of the enthusiasm | staying powers which Josiah Quincy discovered displayed over Congo's defeat. Dunoon, Time- were being exhibited in El Pase. Tex., to the keeper and Congo got off well together closely astonishment of some of the leading citizens of

> Meanwhile Hop Sing, a Chinaman, is acting United States Consul at Amoy, as d despite the story about the white ants more than a hundred patriots are struggling to succeed Col. J. Hampton Hoge.

> > `NEWS AND GOSSIP.

France has 448,000 liquor bars. London is building an 1,150-feet tower, November was almost logless in London. Austrian members of Parliament get \$4 a day. The Princess of Wales has \$250,000 worth of

Buda Pesth has an underground electric / I in thirteen distinct cases.

A "holy war" in Morocco and Algiers is It takes a Danish express train a day to travel

Christiania, Norway, has twenty-seven saloons for 160,000 people. The singing of the "Kossuth Song" at Buda

Penth caused a rlot. The French census shows a total of 300,000 | the bottom of the Panama jugglery. foreign work people. The uncl-imed funds in the English c urts

amount to \$3 9,252,410. Another great battle-ship like the Magnificent | for passengers. Abdul Hamid is going to try to will be built in England.

Members of the French Senate are chosen by of the lake. direct vote of the people. The big steamers now make the voyage from England to India in thirteen days.

There is a general prospect of war scares in Europe during the coming winter. Sentiment in favor of G vernment ownership of railways is spreading in England

The resignation of the Italian Ministry strengthened the European stock market. Russia's crop of tye, wheat, cats and harley is 280,000,000 bushels larger than last year. Exploration in the Himalayas has revealed, a

new food grain of some value, colled kowness. Two thousand new books will be put on the Lasth-sides of the Seine, the site including the market by London publishers alone this year. The French are going to build a steamable that is expected to cross the Atlantic lo four days. The stream of + ussian emigration to America has been diverted from Hamburg to Liverpool,

George Eliot's old home in London is to be pulled down to make spom for a railway station. "Bread and butter" danges to aid of the unemployed are just now all the rage in Australian

A maid of honor to Queen Victoria receives rest! £300 a year and has thirteen weeks of attendance The "last will and testament " of Lord Byron

January last \$40,000,000 more than they have of France.

The Italian Government has intimated that it is ready to copperate with Spain in measures against the Anarchists.

A bill will be introduced in the English will instruct the members in "the higher Parliament prohibiting advertising in the open | branches of the art." Prospective students are. air in the rural districts. While British trade with Calcuta has

decreased, that of Germany has in the past five | Engineers and Architects, Professor Wellner of years increased threefold. attacking the "humbug."

10.269 per 200,000 in 1892.

From January last un il November the withdraw its from French savings banks exciteded | person sufficing from Deafness, Noises in the the receipts by 200,000,000 franci.

printed in 1480, has come into the possession of Jam s Walenn of Haitlord, Conn.

formed a ring and threaten to increase enormously the cost of newspaper material. A English gi l, who fell while dan ing at a bill and breke her leg, has sued ber partner for Bulldings, 39. Victoria Street, Wa'minster, damig - on account of his cluminess.

All the big banks of Europe are increasing their reserves. Many years have passed since the world saw so much idle money on hand. There is great activity in England's navy

vards. The Government is determined that Rus is shall not get control of the Black. Sea. Three weeks before his death Gounod sent to the Academy of Loreto three parts of a new mass, to be called, " Messa de Santa Cecilis." The Westminster Gasette considers it very

rribible that Europe will be besten by the India, from Vancouver, January 8th .- To United States in the brewing of beer next year. The Prince of Wales is leading in London a project for the founding of an orchestral and choral society to give smoking and other con-

The London, Brighton and South Coast Railway has thirty of its trains lit by electricity, and is now about to equip a number of additional trains in a similar manner.

"Next year the use of the decimal system o weights and measures in all pharmaceutical matters will become compulsory throughout

The Pitcairn Islanders have been presented with a lifeboat by Queen Victoria, which will be taken to them by the Pacific fligship Koyal French paupers are provided for to a great

extent by the funds silsing from a to per cent. lax on theatre tickets. This tax averages \$13,000,000. The Russian military party have persuaded the (xar to consent to increase the Russian

Army, in view of the recent additions to the German Army. The Belfast Chamber of Commerce has resolved to ask the British Government to cooperate with the United States in clearing the

Atlantic of derelicts. After focty-one years of construction the Roman Catholic Cathedral at Marseilles has been finished, and was dedicated on November

30th before 10,000 people. It is stated that the Russian Government has conceded a French company the right to establish telephonic communication between all

the large Russian towns, The Enemy of Woman is the title of a newreview which an ungaliant Vienna editor has undertaken in order to redeem man from the thralldom of the tyrannical sex.

. It is amusing to read in a German paper, published at Boun, a report of a case in which a witness, on being asked his occupation, replied that he was an old china manufacturer.

An Edinburgh life-insurance man says that the largest mortally rate in indoor occupations is found among liquor-sellers. Among 1 000 sellers be found the average mortality to be 20.2. King Humbert recently had sold at public auction in one of the court-yards of the Quitinal all the old furniture, percelain, glass, etc., that had gone out of f. shion since Victor Emanuel's

The Armenians are the most intelligent of the Transcaucasian races, and, unlike most Orientals, they educate girls as well as boys. Even the humblest classes have a thirst for .The Pope's enfourage are slarmed by hi

rapidly increasing techleness. It is said his right arm is partly paralyzed. He retains, nevertheless, all his intellectual freshness and I Is said that the Czar Is about to issue a ukase, permitting Jews to live in those Russo-

Polish villages which are owned by noblemen, in case these noblemen obtain guarantees for THE Undersigned has received instructions their lawful behaviour. In Holland woman and persons of either sex under the age of sixteen are now forbidden to

begin work carlier than 5 a ma, or to continue at work after 7 p.m., nor can their work exceed eleven hours a day in all. Eight cars loaded with human bair arrived in Paris recently consisted to dealers in that merchandile. The hair came from India and China.

whence thousands of pounds are annually sent to England and France. Professor Klebs of Carlsruhe, who has modified advantageously Professor Koch's tuberculin for consumption, says that he has discovered a

sure cure for dishtheria. He has been success-The French vintage is estimated by European authorities at 49 800 000 hectoliers, 20,700,000 shave last year, and 20,000 000 above the average for ten years. The ravages or phylloxera

are now being gradually retrieved. M. Loze, the new French Ambassador to Austria, was formerly Prefect of Police in Paris, and has a remarkable, record for ferreting out Anarchists and their plots, as well as getting to

The pavigation of the Dead Sea is the latest step in Oriental progress. The Sultan has sent two sailing boats there, one for freight and one make money out of the salt, bitumen and sulphur

The Oriental Life Assurance Company of Landon, which possesses the monopoly, of the insurance of opium men in India, says that during twenty years, not, a single claim has been paid for death which could have been attributed: to the use of oplum.

Advices from Armenia show that the winter weather now prevailing aggravates the famine existing in that country, The Erreroum, Bitlisand Van districts and villages of Aidin have alone suffered a trade decrease of \$15,000,000 during the cholera quarantine.

The Paris Exposition of 1900 will be held on Champide Mars, grounds of the Palals du Trocadero, the Qual d'Orsay Esplanade des I valides, the Qu'i de la Conference, the Cours In Reine and the Paleis de l'Industrie.

A Sheffield dressmaker who was fined \$40 for overworking her assistants, admitted that two girls in her employment began work at 8:30 o'clock on a Tuesday morning and worked continuously until 6:30 o'clock on a Wednesday night -thirty-four hours-with an hour and a half for

M. Casimir-Perier, who has succeeded in forming a Cabinet for France, is a young man for such a responsible post as that of Prime was sold at auction in London a few weeks ago | Minister, but he coines of a race of Cablast officers and has had large experience in Govern-French savings banks have paid out since ment matters. He is ambitious to be President

> -Mrs. Shaw's, while to London seems to have brought on whisiling as a fed for a ladies' fournal announces that a ladies whistling club is to be formed there under competent teachers who set in a pucker over it. At a meeting of the Association of Aust ian

cars increased threefold.

"Electrical spectacles" are one of the latest; machine which commended itself to the meetthe opinion that "humbug."
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D'ARC'S MARIONETTES FANTOCHES FRANCAISES, EVERY EVENING AT 9 P.W.,

WED JESDAYS AND SATURDAYS AT 3 P.M., In their specially exected and pretty-BIJOU THEATRE, WEST POINT.

FRIDAY EVENING, the 10th. GRAND MILITARY NIGHT, Urder the Distinguished Patronage of Major-General BARKER, C.B. (General Commanding H.M. Forcer).

MOTICE. LOS NEXT WEEK

POSITIVELY THE LAST. The Troupe will shortly leave for Manila, Shanghal, Japan, Saigon and Siam to follow.

PRICES OF ADMISSION :-Private Bexes & Stells, per seat ... \$2.00 Second Class\$1.50 Third Class\$1.00 Gallery\$0.50 Children half-price to all parts.

Special Place for Chinese Ladies.

Box Plan at Messes. KELLY & WALSH, Ld. As the Number of Boxes is limited, early, booking is necessary to avoid disappointment.

Misses M., N. & E. D'ARC, Sole Propiletors. E. C. CLITHEROW, General Manager. Hongkong 12th January, 1804.

ST. JOHN OF HONGKONG,

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS! HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 12th inst., at 8.30 for o o'clock precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkoog, 12th January, 1804.

No. 618, S.C.

VICTORIA CHAPTER, GODOWNS:-

REGULAR CONVOCATION of the above Chapter will be held in the FREE-MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY. the 10th instant, at 8,30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 12th January, 1804

> PUBLIC AUCTION CIGARS, WINES, &c.

to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION.

TUESDAY, the 16th January, 1894, commending at 2.30 P M., at his Sale Pooms, Duddell Street. To Close Consignment. MANILA CIGARS of the well-known brand

of the CIE GENERALE DE TOBACOS MARIA CHRISTINA and other MANUFAC-500 lbs. AMERICAN SMOKING MIXTURE in perf. ct Condition.

AT THE SAME TIME THERE WILL BE SOLD 12 CASES POMMERY and GRENOS CHAMPAGNE in pints, ' 25 CASES NUREMBERG BEER in pints and quarts, in first-class Condition, quality equal to MUNICH BEER.

WHISKIES, SHERRY, BRANDY and other Tre above will be Sold in Lots to suit pur-

TERMS OF SALE: -As customary. GEO. P. LAMMERT, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 12th January, 1804.

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI, THE Company's Steamship

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

Captain Davis; will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 14th Instant, at Day-For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Con

General Managers, Hongkong, 12th January, 1804. TO BE LET.

LARGE AIRY. ROOM at Moderate Rental. Next door to Thomas's Grill Apply on the Premises, 2, DUDDELL STREET. Hongkong, 12th January, 1804

TAPAN HAND-MADE PAPERS APAN PRINTING PAPERS.

APAN COPYING PAPERS TAPAN WALL PAPERS,

ORDERS respectfully solicited by the Under-

PRICES VERY MODERATE.

MITEUT BUSSAN KAISHA S, Queen's Road Central. Hongroup, 3rd January, 1894.

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FRAK HOTEL.

OPEN ALL - YEAR ROUND.

HIS commodious and well appointed HOTEL, situated at a height of 1,250 feet above sea-level, having been Leased by the Proprietors of the "VICTORIA HOTEL," is Now Open and will be run in conjunction with their HOTEL in Queen's Road, thus enabling them to offer special inducements to Visitors and Residents.

SPECIAL WINTER RATES, FROM NOVEMBER 1ST. 1893, TO MARCH 31ST, One person, per day......\$ 3.00 Married couple (occupying one room) per day 5.00 Married coup'e (occupying one room) per weck 31.00

Married couple (occupying one room) per month 95.00 For full particulars apply to VICTORIA HOTEL Hongkong, 14th October, 1803.

FUJIYA HOTEL,

MIYANOSHITA, HARONE. Four and a half hours from Yokohama. FIRST-CLASS ACCOMMODATION.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT IN ALL THE BUILDINGS. TWO NEW ENGLISH BILLIARD TABLES.

S. N. YAMAGUCHI,

TO LET TWELLING HOUSES:-"BAMAR LODGE," at the Peak. "STOLZENFFLS," at the Peak. No. 2, HILLSIDE, at the Peak. "THE WILDERNESS," Caine Road. Nos. 2 and 8, CHANCERY LANE. No. 8, GLENEALY BUILDINGS. FLOORS in Blue Buildings. FLOORS in Elgin Street, Peel Street and Staunton Street. FLOORS in No. 5, Shelley Street. Nos. 1, 2 and 3, VICTORIA VIEW. Kowloon.

Kowloon. Ispan and the Straits, Ld. GROUND FLOOR-under Hongkong

Hotel. Pedder's Street. PRAYA CENTRAL, over Messrs. Douglas Lapralk & Co.'s

BLUE BUILDINGS. Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd.

HOUSE TO LET, FURNISHED OR UNTURNISHED.

C TEWART TERRACE, PEAR.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, and January, 1894.

THIRD FLOOR in No. 6, Queen's Road. OFFICES in Victoria Buildings. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 30th December, 1802.

Intimations.



WINE and SPIRIT MERCHANTS,

GLASGOW. 13, Queen's Road, Hongkong, 24th August, 1803.

DATTAN FURNITURE of Every Description. CHAIRS, COUCHES, TABLES, BASKETS, CHILDREN'S COTS, &c., &c. Latest Patterns, Best Workmanship.

Hongkong, 28th November, 1801 J. W. KEW & CO.'S STEAM WATER BOATS.

PURE FRESH WATER. THE attention of SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS and CAPTAINS Is called to the Superior Quality of TYTAM FILTERED WATER offered by . W. KEW & Co., also to the advantages derived from their being able to Supply their Water in one-fourth the time occupied by the

Quickest despatch with lowest possible rates. j. W. KEW & Co., c/o Carmichael & Co., LA.

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BVERY KIND OF SHIP'S STORES AND REQUISITES ALWAYS IN STOCK

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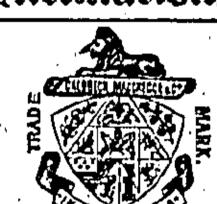
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To be Let.

No. 11. KNUTSFORD TERRACE, OFFICES AND SHOPS :-FIRST FLOOR No. 4, Queen's Road Central, over the Bank of China.

Honokong, 8th January, 1804.

TO LET. TOS. 2, 5, 7 & 12, SEYMOUR TERRACE.



CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co.,

HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, LONDON AND

22. QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.

NGAI SHANG.

Rattan Core, Split Ratton, Canton Reed and Sundries of all kinds.

old fashioned and obsolete hand pumps. No impeding the loading or discharging of

Honokong, 13th June, 1802.

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THE STANDARD.

ENDOWMENT ASSURANCE.

AMONG THE MANY ADVANT-AGES of this form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned:---

> (a)-It secures an immediate Provision for wife and family or other relatives in event of early death. (b)-It provides a Fund for Retirement. (c)-It supplies an excellent Investment

for the regular accumulation of small fixed sums of money. (d)-The Surrender and loan values are larger than under ordinary Policies.

2. AFTER THE POLICY HAS BEEN THREE YEARS IN FORCEshould the Policy-holder wish to discontinue future payments—he will be entitled to receive, on application, a FREE PAID-UP POLICY for a proportionate amount of the Sum Assured, as explained in the Prospectus.

Full particulars on application, DODWELL CARLILL & Co.,

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Hongkong, 8th August, 1803.

THE LION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

are prepared to accept FIRE RISKS at CURRENT

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co. Hongkong, 1st January, 1804.

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED\$1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies,

HEAD OFFICE. No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, 24th November, 1893.

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY. (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL, TAELS 600.0001 EOUAL TO RESERVE FUND \$318,000.00.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LO YEUK MOON, Esq. LEE SING, Esq. LOU TSO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER.-HO AMEL

TARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the THE Undersigned has received instructions

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST. Hongkong, 17th December, 1884.

Amusements.

HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB, WILL GIVE PERFORMANCE OF THE

"PRINCESS TOTO,"

TO-MORROW January 13th, 1894.

-EXTRA PFRFORMANCE. BY SPECIAL PROUBET an extra performance of "PRINCESS TOTO." will be given on

AT 4 P.M. Positively the last performance of this success-Becking Office open at to A.M. on the 8th instant's special rates for Children.

TUESDAY, the 16th January, 1894,

booked at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. cents, at the Booking Office. A late Tram will run a quarter of an hour after the fall of the Curtain. Hongkong, 10th January, 1804.

Motices of Firms.

NOTICE.

"MITSU BISHI SHA and MITSU BISHI COLLIERIES, will from and after the Parthership under the STYLE of the MITSU BISHI RACING the Managing Partner.

AGENTS! NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. H. U. IEFFRIES.

NOTICE.

HALL, Zetland Street, on TUESDAY, the 16th IVI. SHALL has This Day been admitted at

Intimations.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1894.

HONGKONG HOTEL

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin "-A. B. C. Code.-TELEPHONE, No. 32.

PROPRIETORS......THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East, affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping 807

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers.

THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cultima being under experienced supervision.

spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communicators. The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new, Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience. The WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied.
HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above. NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

R. TUCKER Manager.

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WE have This Day been appointed WITH A VIEW TO EFFECTING A CLEARANCE, WE OFFER THE WHOLE STOCK OF OUR

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MOSTLY IN CABINET SIZE, AT A DISCOUNT OF 25 PER CENT.

A SELECTION OF OVER 500 TO CHOOSE FROM.

THIS OFFER WILL REMAIN OPEN DURING THE MONTH OF JANUARY ONLY.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED,

Hongkong, 11th January, 18c4

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HAS JUST RECEIVED

5.000 NEW CHEAP NOVELS.

WALLIACE'S PRINCE OF INDIA, author Dancing Pumps.

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New Stock'Solid-A 1 Telegraph Code. Gelkie's Text Book of Geology. New Queen's Regulations. All the Christmas Annuals. Gentlemen's Brown Russia and Call Walking New Dance Music. Boots and Shoes.

New Stock Solid-sole Tennis Shoes. Also the Renshaw Shoe. Association and Rugby Footballs. Indian ..lubs. Chevalier's New Song, "Nipper's Lullaby."

> W. BREWER. UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL, QUEENS ROAD.

Hongkong, 6th January, 1893.

CENTRAL HOTEL SHANGHAI.

throughout the Premises.

Electric Lighting

Telegraphic Address :-"CENTRAL, SHANGHAL"

THIS long-established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river in the centre of the Settlements, is now fitted with the latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on, Douche, Shower, Sprays, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter. COMMODIOUS RECEPTION ROOM FOR VISITORS.

> SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &.c. An Assistant attends on Passengers by Mall Steamers.

N.B.-Special reduced charges may be arranged for on application to the Manager.

E. REILLY, PROPRIETOR.

DAWSON'S PERFECTION OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

ALLISTON & CO., SOLE AGENTS, Hongkong and the Far East, 68, Queen's Road Central Hongkong, 11th December, 1803.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

NEW STOCK OF SADDLERY.

Hongkong, 30th December, 1801.

STABLE REQUISITES

RACING SADDLES, WHIPS, BRIDLES, WEIGHT CLOTHS, SADDLE CLOTHS, ROLLERS, GIRTHS,

Intimations.

THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILD. ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the COMPANY will be held at the Company's Registered Offices, 38 and 42, Queen's Road Central, on THURSDAY, the 18th day of January instant, at 12 o'clock NOON, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following Resolution, that is to say: 'That THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND

"BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED, be "wound-up voluntarily under the provisions "of the Companies Ordinances 1865 to 1890, "and that HART BUCK of Victoria in the "Colony of Hongkong be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of "such Winding up." Dated the 9th day of January, 1894.

By Order of the Board. JOHN A. JUPP,

Secretary,

THE HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will b: held in the Office of the Company, No. Praya Central, on SATURDAY, the 20th January, at 12 o'clock NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to the 31st October, 1893. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 20th inst., both days inclusive, By Order of the Board of Directors. W. A. DUFF,

Hongkong, 6th January, 1894. THE INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS, HONGKONG.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

THE THIRD ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of MEMBERS will be held in the ROOMS, No. 13, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 22nd January, at 8.45 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of Managing Committee and Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1893. ROBERT MITCHELL,

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, o'h January, 1894.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED:

NOTICE is bereby given that the SIXTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS in this COMPANY will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, at 12 o'clock (NOON), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December,

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 15th to WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered ... By Order of the Board of Directors.

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary, "

Hongkong, 8th January, 1894.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING

COMPANY, LIMITED,

TOTICE is hereby given that the FIFTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHARHOLDERS in this COMPANY will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, at 12.30 o'clock, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1893.

The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 20th to WIDNES-DAY, the 24th January, 1894, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors.

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the

Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited, General Agents for the West Point Building Company, Limited. Hongkong, 8th January, 1894.

TROM Pedder's Hill yesterday afternoon, a POINTER PUPPY. The Finder will oblige by returning the missing animal to "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH"

STRAYED

OFFICE. Hongkong, 10th January, 1804.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. WING to MILITARY MANŒUVRES,

the RANGE will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, 9th instant, to SATURDAY, 19th inst Consequently there will be NO COMPETITION next SATURDAY. ED. ROBINSON.

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 8th January, 1894. NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the KONINKLIJKE PAKETVAART MAATSCHAPPIJ,

are prepared to grant through Bills of Lading to Ports of Java, Sumatra (East and West Coast) Celebes, Timor, Sunda Islands, Dutch New Guiness &c., &c. Bills of Lading for through Cargo from these Posts to be presented to the Undersigned for countersignature.

LAUTS, WEGENER & Co. Hongkong, 25th November, 1893. NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the TRADE (朱屬醫) and CHU YAU LAN (朱有醫) FIRMS respectively, Manufacturers of TO-BACCO, have been doly Registered in this Colony, pursuant to Ordinance 16 of 1873 and 8 of 1886.

CHU KWONG LAN CHU YAU LAN Hongicoug, 5th January, 1894.

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

PER ANNUM.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA

HE Steamship

Captain J. E. Hansen, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 13th Instant For Freight or Passage, apply to - DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

"ARRATOON APCAR,"

Hongkong, 12th January, 1894. THE HEUNG SING STEAMSHIP

COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG. THE Steamship

"PROPONTIS," Captain Farrand, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 13th Instant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to LEONG TUN PO. Secretary. Hongkong, 11th January, 1894.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY. UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN

GOVERNMENT. STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE. THE Company's Steamship

"POSEIDON," Captain Feliner, will leave for the above places on SUNDAY, the 14th instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to C. ZANELLA,

Hongkong, 6th January, 1894. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE Steamship "CARMARTHENSHIRE,"

Captain Vyvyan, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about MONDAY, the 22nd For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 6th January, 1894.

"SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR HAMBURG AND LONDON. THE Steamship

"BULLMOUTH," aptain Scott, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about TUESDAY, the 30th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN & Co.

Hongkong, 4th January, 1804

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE 100 A. I. British Ship

"MACMILLAN," Guthrie, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, 1st December, 1802. FOR NEW YORK.

THE 100 A. I. British Ship "BANGALORE,"

Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hougkong, 8th December, 1893.

Condon, Master, will load here for the above

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship-

"KENILWORTH," Baker, Master, now at Shanghal, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.
For Freight, apply to

SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 5th December, 1893.

Consignees.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP""VICTORIA," FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersigns. ture, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 9th January, 1894.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. NOTICE.

ONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship The above Steamer having arrived, Consignoes

of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vensel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk J. S. VAN BUREN

Hongkong, 6th January, 1804. TIMBER

HONGKONG YARD, WANCHAI.

REGON PINE SPARS and LUMBER Always on Hand. L HALLORY. Botglema, add June, 1882.

No. 3649

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JOHN THURBURN. Manager, Hongkong. "Hongkong, 4th February, 1893.

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HEAD OFFICE:-HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:-ChowTungShang, Esq. D. Gilles, Esq. Kwan Hol Chuen, Esq. Chan Kit Shan, Esq. H. Stolterfoht, Esq. Chief Manager, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

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PUBLIC AUCTION HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

Auctions.

Hongkong, 6th November, 1803.

THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

BRANCHES:

SHANGHAI.

RATES OF INTEREST,

Manager,

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL£2,000,000

to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), the 13th January, 1894, commencing at 2.30 P.M., at his SALE ROOMS, DUDDYLL STREET, (For Sundry Accounts)

A QUANTITY OF

(OTTAGE PIANOS, &C.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. Comprising: DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, MARBLE-TOP and FANCY TABLES, BUREAU. OVER-MANTELS, PICTURES, ORNAMENTS, FENDERS and IRONS, CARPETS, CUR-TAINS &c., DINING TABLE and CHAIRS, SIDEBOARD with MIRROR BACK, DINNER

MARBLE-TOP W SHSTANDS and DRESS-ING TABLES, SING E and DOUBLE WARDROBES, BED-ROOM FURNITURE, BATH-ROOM REQUISITES, &c., &c. TWO COTTAGE PIANOS in Good Condi-

WAGGONS, ELECTRO-PLATE, GLASS and

SINGLE & DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEADS.

CROCKERY-WARE. &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE :- As customary. Catalogues issued prior to Sale. On View ful Comic Opera. from Friday, the 12th instant, GEO. P. LAMMERT.

Hongkong, 8th January, 1894.

Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE TISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY. at the SALE ROOMS, 17, PRAYA CENTRAL, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), January 13th, 1894.

AT 2.45 P.M. prompt, Comprising :-Fancy Goods, Sheffield Cutlery, Glass Ware. Wines, Ten, Fancy Soaps, Sundry Stores and 50 Picula Babylonian Dates. E Just Landed.

A. E. SKEELS & Co.,

Auctioneers & Valuators.

Offices, 17, Praya Central, Hongkong, 11th January, 1894. Masonic.

On view Saturday A M.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 1,165, E.C.

REGULAR MEETING of the above

instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting | PARTNER in our FIRM. Brethren are cordially invited. Houghoog, 19th January, 1944.

LLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS

THE

COMIC OPERA GILBERT AND CLAY.

Curtain to rise at Q P.M. precisely.

Prices, \$3, \$2, \$1. Seats for any or all Performances can be Books of the Words of the Songs, price 15

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THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to

Hongkong, 17th November, 1892.

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T is specially recommended as an article of diet f.r NURSING MOTHERS as it will strengthen and support them and at the same time e rich the Natural Milk and locresse the Supply.

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DAKIN. CRUICKSHANK & COMPANY, LIMITED, VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

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PINE, APRICOT, CHERRY, LIME, GUAVA

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TELEGRAMS.

PARISH COUNCILS BILL,

LONDON, 10th January, 1804, The Parish Councils Bill has gone through the Committee of the House of Commens.

THREATENED TROUBLE IN HONOLULY Biltish marines have been landed at Honolulu to protect the Legation should troubles arise. SOUTH ITALY.

The disturbances have extended to Gorato, in the province of Terra di Hari, where several of the floters were shot down by the troops.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

"PRINCESS Toto," fixed up in all the glory of . cold type, is again growded out for want of space is this traus,

ACCORDING to Tom Mann, "where the Church of England is not passive, it is hostile to the masses."

MR. J. Winfield Bonser, Chief Justice of Ceylon, and late of the Straits Settlements, has been

"MARRIAGE is a good institution-no family should be without it," observes Mr. Hadden Chambers.

UCCI, the once notorious 'fasting' man, "has become insane. He fasted once too often and now imagines that he is Cæsar and Napoleon rolled into one.

CALCUTTA exchange says that our friend Harry Stanley, the Old Man Awful, has dropped five thousand rupees in the City of Palaces during the present season. "

THE Agents (Messrs, Gibb, Livingston & Co.) inform us that the "Ben" line steamer Benmohr, from Antwerp and London, left Singapore yesterday, for this port.

five "water rats " were fined \$15 each (and pald it) before Mr. Hastings, who ran the rule over them in the Police Court to-day, A REGULAR meeting of St. John's Lodge. No 618.

S.C., will be held in Freemasons' Hall Zetland Street, this evening, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock precisely. | to avoid their due. Visiting brethren are cordially invited. IMITATION is the sincerest form of flattery. We are glad to note that our local contemporari

are following the Telegraph's lead in denouncing the disgusting condition of the drains in the HARMSTON'S Circus has added a menagerie to its many other attractions, and our old acquaint

ance Signor Leo Hernandez, otherwise "Mexican

Bill," is the fearless tamer and trainer of the feroclous denizens of the forest and jungle. No telegram from Brazil has reached us regarding the coolie 'tramp' Tetartos, which left THAT "the heathen Chinee is peculiar" in Macto for Rio Janeiro on October 16th with a many ways is the unanimous verdict of almost cargo of Chinese emigrants, but we understand every European who has, by a strange destiny.

at her destination. "HE increased activity noticed just now in the of the Detective Force and Inspector of Yakohama slik-market is attributed to better Weights and Measures. He knowe, if any conditions now prevailing in France, particularly one does, how the fan kwal are "done" in at Lyons. A late telegram received by a foreign their weight and how natives also are occasionsilk exporter in Yokohama announces that the ally "got at," and it is therefore no matter Japanese silk fetched at Lyons what was for surprise he should occasionally swoop down equivalent to 30 or 40 dollars rise on the quota- on these who best confilling customers by

tlong at Yokohama.

SERGEANT Moffat "dropped down" on a squad of the votaries of po-tae last night in Wo-on Lane. West Point, and "roped in " nine lovers of the game who made the acquaintance of Mr. Wodehouse at the Police Court this morning and left in that "Abode of Bliss" no less than \$20 to stone for what was described as the errors of their ways.

Five years' imprisonment was the sentence imposed in Sydney the other week on Ernest Broad, a solicitor, for misappropriating £2,5 o belonging to Mrs. Campbell, one of his clients. [(Before Mr. E. J. Ackroyd, Pulsus Judge.] It is expected that this will have a salutary effect on numerous other members of the profession who are not quite as particular as they ought to be in the manipulation of other people's money.

FOR running the launch Chin Fat to Chinese the master, Pen Kau, was to-day fined \$75 by Mr. Hastings at the Police Court, in a cordance with the request of Sergeant Niven, who proved that no pass had been taken and that the launch In question had no right to ply outside the waters of the colony. Probably the gambling-house proprietors at Kowloon will "make it all right" with the launch people.

VISCOUNT Enomoto is said to be drawing up a lengthy memorial regarding the Chishima case: the whole affair has (says the Hyogo News) taken thorough possession of his mind. It is stated that the Cablect is blamed by nearly all the members of the Privy Council for the steps taken in this matter. The House of Peers also contemplate presenting an address to the Emperor on the question, laying the blame, however, on an individual Minister and not on the Cabinet as

"THE same old game."- In the Supreme Court

to-day :--Counsel for plaintiff in a partnership suit (on being informed that his client cannot sue):--Well, my lord, I have only just had the writ put into my hands this morning, and I ask for an adjournment, as I know very little about the

His lordship (indignantly):-Then why on earth do you come into court at all? "Ignorance is bliss"-case adjourned until next Monday!

OUR evening contemporary's dramatic critic suggests that a "respectable bar" for the patrons of the dress circle at the City Hall adjoining the stalls respectable enough for the fastidious dandles of the D.C.? If not, what is the defect ?-- where the lack of respectability? The peach blossom representatives of Brownie state that he has no wish to plead this defence. and Grannie ' usually occupy scats in the dress circle, as near the Vice regal box, as they can possibly arrange, but in the sear so that nobody can see them; and to go downstairs and drink with the common habitues of the stalls would be infra dig. The Mail man cught to bring a bun and a bottle of milk to refresh himself between the acts.

THE mobilisation of the troops has hitherto not led to any known casualtles; but the Volunteers have tried their best. Yesterday evening, when the field gun corps was at Stonecutters, lined up on the stone quay, one modest member, who was afraid of pusting himself too much to the front, stepped back off the pler into the waterten or twelve feet deep. The splash and the sudden gust of "language," as he went over, startled another of our brave defenders, who turned hastily-stepped on vacancy, and "down went M'Ginty" on top of the first plunger i The two of them flound red about in the wet for a bit, apparently trying to graduate as a Submarine Mining Corps-or Corpses (casy joke, for the Hongkong Volunteers only)-and were at last fished up again, "not dead enough for pickling, but-near it." They were stood on their heads to let the liquid run off, and then the Life-saving Contingent took patients in hand, in the orthodox way for half- | been in your hands, and with your permission I drowned subjects-twisting the arms all ways, | will take them as read. I trust you will think | accounts. rubbing the b-h'm i abdomen with a brick. jumping on the chest, and so on. Meantime | and if there had been a larger amount of capital some of the Volunteers were told-off to fish for subscribed your Board would have been instiffed the divers' guns, which of course had been inject mmending a dividend, but we consider that dropped into the harbour. It is reported later at least two or three months full expenses should that farewell letters have been found in the be kept in hand in case of accident to plant pockets of the two M'Gintles, announcing that | be unforessen contingencies, and the last call of it had been their intention to commit suicide as | twenty five cents is being reserved for the soon as possible, in order to avoid getting hart extension of plant, which will probably be in battle. This, however, must be taken with required for treatment of concentrates and carried. all reserve, and their little escapade should in tailings. I am excessively glad to be able to

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"THE UGH Death to Dividenda" is the suggestive beading of an editorial in the Johnunesburg Standard on Mr. Cecil Rhode's' South African Chartered Company.

A REGULAR Convocation of Victoria Chapter, No. 525, will be held in Freemasons' Hall Zetland Street, on Friday, the 19 h instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

MR. Anthony A. Botelho, jun. (of Mesers. Dodwell, Carlill & Co.'s office) and Mr. Francis | done, and the large sum of money spent by this Gomes, pupils of Mr. Thos. H. Reld, China and the former company; and though Mall office, have been awarded Pitman's think that the Government should Certificate of Proficiency in Shorthand.

An amateur concert is to be given in the City Hall on the roth February, in aid of the Belilion and Nether-ole hospitals. Mr. Meason's name an organiser should be sufficient to guarantee railly first-class show ; and we understand that an amateur orchestra is preparing to achieve a brilliant success.

FOR "rushing" the Glenorchy this morning OF 3 890 convicts in the State pentientiaries of Texas, says an American journal there is not a printer or newspaper man, while there are ministers, dectors, lawyers, photographers, bankers, ba -keepers, cooks, barbers and members of all cher professions and callings. In Hongkong it is the lawyers, etc. who manage

per usual.

that the Agent of the Brazillan company in this been brought into close contact with the colony has been advised of the steamer's arrival teening millions of Far Cathay. Probably few bave less reason to doubt the truth of the allegation than has Inspector Stanton, the chief virtue of tricky scales. At the Magistracy to-day he "got to windward" of six Yau-ma-ti store keepers whom he found in possession of false scales and, under direction of Mr. Wodehouse, the preiding magistrate, had them fined in sums aggregating \$137, which the delinquents paid up rather than go to gaol for terms varying from a week to three calendar months.

SUPREME COURT.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

January 12th.

"NO CHITS." The Hongkong Hotel Co., Limited, sued W Beavin for \$14.55 for drinks supplied. Mr. E. C. Kowloon last night without a night clearance Ellis appeared for the plaintiff, and the defendant appeared in person. There was a similar suit against G. J. W. King for \$5

His lordship:—Can you sue for drinks? signed chits for the amounts, and could i sued for them, unless they chose to plead the Statute in defence. The statute made debts for drinks not recoverable; but the wording of the clause was ex city the same as in the Statute of Limitations, which was not a bar to action unless distinctly pleaded. If the defendants de ided to plead the Stature, there was no case for the plaintiffs; but if they did not, the case could come into Court, as the Statute did not apply. His fordship thought the law was clear enough, detain you any longer, but will be glad to hear

and the plaintiff could not sue at all. Mr. Eills: - These men have been in the hotel, and have had the benefit of refreshments supplied to them, and have signed chits for the amounts; I think it is a great disgrace for them to plead

such a delence. His lordship :-- Well, I can only go on the law—there must have been some good reason for the law being enacted in these terms. You may goon with your proof, but assoon as it appears on the evidence that the action is for liquous supplied, whether the defendants plead that or not, I cannot maintain your action.

Mr. Ellis submitted that notice ought to have been given under the Code by the defendants i they wished to plead the Statute, failing which they could not, he thought, have the benefit of

His lordship could not get over the words of the Statute-"no publican shall maintain an action for drinks." He could not do anything Theatre would be "a good idea," Isn't the bar | but dismiss both cases at once, and the plaintiff could appeal if dissatisfied.

Mr. Ellis, a short time afterwards, said :---Your lordship, I am authorised by Mr. Beavin to and that he will pay as soon as he is able. H wishes me to state this because he has no wito take advantage of that defence. His lordship :-- Very well.

THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY LIMITED.

The annual veneral meeting of this company (reconstructed from the Punjoin and Sungite Dua Semantan Co., Limited) was held to day Mr. J. Orange presided, and there were also present Messrs. D. Gillies, R. Shewan (directors) A. O'D. Gourdin (secretary), R. Lyall, J. R. Michael, G. Holmer, F. Rapp, E. Burnie, G. M. Bain, W. H. Wickham, T. F. Hough, Parlane, J. H. Lewis, E. W. Terry, R. Isherwood, A. Johnston, M. B. Polishwalls, H. R. Cotewsl P. Foster, S. B. Baba, P. F. Daver, Cheor. Sing, A. P. da Costa, A. G. dos Remedios, W. Young, R. C. Wilcox, C. F. Harton, S. Benjamin, D. K. Griffith, J. C. Rosselet, A. Tillett, E. S. Kelly, J. Meler, D. E. Silva, R. M Mehts, E. Fuchs and C. Reeves,

The Secretary read the notice of meeting. The Chaleman said :- Gentlemen, the report and balance sheet for our first working year bava that the results of the working are satisfactory. have received the Order of the Bath, as an en- finished with the London Company, and we are | and R. Lyall) were re-elected.

agents of the Singapore clulms in detail. The amount of work and trouble entailed by the formation and liquidation of the Lundon Company has been very considerable, and we regret that not only do we lose the debt due to us of the Perjom Pahing Gold Company, bu in addition have to pay the large sum of about \$24 000 being the amount owed by that Company in London and Singapore. Your Board are glad to be able to announce that we have obtained an extension of our prospecting concession, the acting Resident of Pahang recognizing in the interviews I had with him the amount of work more for us than has been done, there i the unfortunate fact that the finances the Sate of Pahang have been very strained I hope that the State of S langor will by it assistance enable the Government of Pahane to act more generously to us in several matters. The Bord is strongly of the opinion that go representatives of the Pioncer Mining Company of the State, we should have, when we show our selves fairly established and in working order, a permanent and perpetual lease (without conditions) of the Mini g Concession area, and we will urge this upon the Government. Every country in the world recognizes pioneer claims, and we were the first to systematically work lede

mining in the State, and have spent more money in the State than any other company. We are also of opinion that the Government tax of a per cent. is a heavy one, and should be reduced in the interest of mining, and that the THAT it is better than nothing, better than the Government should undertake the escort of gold Mr. Deyasdust's cr. Primrose, 11st. 11h......... proverbial fifth wheel of a coach, to have a and specie as in other countries, and give more detective on board ship prior to her departure adequate police proviction than we possess at for coast ports was exemplified by the fact of the present. The road which is projected from ubiquitous Quincey bourding the Hailsong at | Kusla Kubu in Schinger via Raub to Kuala 7.30 this morning and taking into custody a Lepis will pass within three miles of the mine noisy boarding-house runner who tried to turn | and will be of great utility to us. It will enable everything upside-down in the 'tween decks with | us to import specie, and send our gold overland a view to making room for his "pals" and instead of by the tedious river journey, and wil making everything unpleasant for their fellow- also have the very important result of introtraveller. "Six weeks hard" was the result, as | ducing labour freely into the country. The report informs you of the work done. The

August Shaft is now deep sunk 68 feet below the 110 foot level, and besides the other developments. works are proceeding such as a trial shaft south of the present mine, and drives south and west. TRIAL STAKES, of \$10 even with \$100 thed which bear very promising indications. The new battery will probably he finished at the end of this month, but the new boiler necessary to supplement the existing one though ordered in time was unfortunately d layed at home by reason of the coal strike, and arrived at Singapore when the north east monsoon had set in, and consequently there has been experienced a difficulty. in getting transport to the Pahang tiver. It is fixed before the end of February. With the new battery the output should be increased to 1,000 | Mr. Grunenwald's cr. Evolution, 1 st. 11h..... tons a month, and this will erable us to crush a quantity of low grade ore, which has not been touched while we were requiring the gold for current expenses, and will enable us to maintain Mr. Dryasdust's cr. Pegarus rost. 111b. (incl. our present yield at least without increased expense. The cost of the additional plant is included in the balance sheet. The treatment

of concentrates and tailings is a very important one and though the stacking is carefully done and little is wasted, still it is a certain amount of gold lying idle. We are fortunate in having Mr for a plant to treat 1,000 tons a month, and we hope to be able to arrive at a decision on the subject very soon. Mr. Blamey's accident has proved more serious than was at first anticipated. and I regret to say he has had to undergo two operations at the Singapore Hospital in order to set the broken bone of the arm. It is heped that the last operation has been successful. Fortunately all plans for future work had been arranged by Mr. Blamey and myself before the accident, and therefore the shareholders need be under no anxiety as to the progress of work Mr. Ellis said that the defendants had during his absence. Mr. Blamey has worked ha d and successfully for the Company, and has every confidence in the future of the mine, and we all trust that he will soon recover, and he *ble to resume charge of operations. In Mr. Phillips, who has charge of the mines, we have an old servant of the Company with a thorough knowledge of the country, and particularly keen interest in the welfare of the Company, and we have every reason to be satisfied with the way

> any remarks from shareholders, and to answer any questions, In reply to Mr. Mehts, the Chairman explained ordinary shares, and debentures-that "preference" only came in when a profit was made and did not accour as debenture interest would whether a profit was made or not, so that the preference shares, on which nothing had been

paid yet/at all, had not a claim for arrears. In rep'y to Captain Burnle the Chairman said that the Company had not yet got a lease of any land, but only a "concession," giving exclusive rights of prospecting and mining over 100 square miles till 28th March, 1898; a lease would b obtained as soon as the exact "lie" of the lode, trophy becomes the property of Mr. "Bob" N-S or NE-SW or NW-SE, had been ascertained by the deeper mining now started. Then a strip of 30 square miles, either 2 miles b 15 miles, or as might seem best, would be leased but a lease would not be a good thing yet, as would at once bring the Company under the mining laws and hamper it, while a concession Timekeeper's, who to his other advantages had

the manager at Punjom sent a detailed report every week and a resume every month, but brought up the sear some three lengths behind these had been kept in the office at Hongkong for shareholders to see if they wished, instead of being printed and circulated, for the reason that it was important not to let the London Company (ubsidiary) know too much during the negotiations. Now that all was settled with the London Company, the reports would be sent to the newspapers to be printed and published, as Raub and other reports were. The Chairman did not st-te how much the Punjom Company could afford or thought fair to pay for these weekly or monthly advertisements. In reply to Mr. Fochs, the Chairman stated

that working expenses averaged about \$7,000 a month, with some \$3,000 a month "capital Mr. Dryasdust's gr. Cobweb, 11st. 17b. expenses " besides. The old battery had 12 stamps, now incressed to 22, in order to Mr. Boyd's gr, Dunkeld, rost, ralb. crush a larger amount of foferior stone with about the same gold output as usual, 650 ounces a month, so that the deeper work (auticipated to lead to great results ultimately) could be carried on without a loss in the mean time. The ore now treated would be about 2000 tons a month, as agains: 600 or 700, but the gold would not correspondingly increase to roco ounces or \$35,000 worth at present; it was only in order to make progress at depth. There being no further questions, the Chair-

man proposed the sdoption of the report and Mr. Wilcox seconded the motion, which was

Mr. Hough proposed the re-election of Mr. J. highest terms of the service done by the directors, Company though very serious difficulties, now apparently disapposting.

On the motion of Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. cour, gement to other Volunteers to get washed. New awaiting the settlement by our Bingspore This concluded the business.

AMOY RACES.

Stewards: -T. M. Boyd, Frq.; R. 4. Bruce Esq.; J. F. Broadbent, Frq ; J. W. Carrell Had ; F. Casa, Esq.; C. T. Gurdner, Esq.; Dr Grunenwald; Dr. McDougall; W. S. Cir, Esq.; Aug. Plehl, Eig.

Judge: - F. Cass, Esq. Hon. Secy. and Treasurer .- E. Thomas, Esq. Clerk of the Course: - B N. Jenkins Esq.

FIRST DAY -MONDAY, JANUARY 8TH, 1814. Never since the inauguration of the "Snort of Kings " in Amoy has there been a more interesting or enjoyable meeting than the one just held In that hespitable and pisturesque port : such at least was the verdict of one of its oldest and keenest racing men - and a verdict too, we fee sure, that will be endorsed by ninety-nine per cent of those present. The weather was perfectlen-bright and sunny, the genial warmth of midday being tempered by a mild nerth-east breeze ; the course in excellent order (considering the long spell of dry weather and the nature of the grow d) and the ponies, with one exception, a level lot.

CONSULAR CUP, presented; value \$101; for all China ponies; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. Seven furlangs,

Mr. Ramsay's b. Congo, 11st. 1lb. Mr. Bartleet 1 Mr. August's gr. Democrat, 10st. 17lb. Mr. Da'lvs 2

Mr. Boyd's dun Duncraggan, 10st. 12lb......

Congo, of course, was a firm feworalte although Democrat and Primrose had a fair following. To an excellent start Primrose and Democrat made play, closely attended by Duneraggan, Congolying off a length or two. This order was maintained for the first five furlangs, when the Foochow crack was let loose, and, romning away. won as he liked by two lengths from Democrat Dunciaggan and Primrose racing neck and neck for third place, which the former secured by a head after a hard tussle. Time I min. 55 2-5th

a forced entry for Amoy Subscription Griffi of this season; first pony to receive 70 per cent.; and so per cent.; and 3rd to per cent. weights as per scale. Three quarters of Mr. Dubbellow's gr. Common, 11st. 11h Mr. Wilson

Mr. Quartette's dun All Fours, 21st. 4'b..... Mr. Maclean naw bring sent up the river, and we hope will be "Mr. Waffle's gr. Mayflower, 10st 12th....... Mr. Birileet

Mr. Dallas Mr. Trio's ch. Engineer, 10st. olb Mr. Hart Bock

2ib. extra)......Mr. Ma shall o Mr. Pug's wh. Expectation, 10st, 12lb....... In the absence of the recing-like Fidget, Common and Engineer shared honours for the premier place in public estimation, whi e not a few fancled the chances of Al Fours. Common drew Fenwick at home to assist us in our negotiations the rails, but All Fours bing first away soon led by a length from Evolution who in turn secured that coveted position. The effort, however, cost Firm his withing prospects and having shot his bolt at the Mai stay gate was quickly pass d by Common and All Fours, who fought the Issue to a finish-a head in Common's favour. Time

1 min. 40 secs. DOUGLAS CHALLENGE CUP, presented by th late J. S. Laoraik, Esq.; value \$250; for all Amoy, Foothow, Switow & Formosa owned ponies; to be won two consecutive meetings by a pony or ponies the bond fide property of the same owners and to be rid fen by resident: of the above named ports; any winner on the above terms may compete in the following year even if no longer a resident in any of the shove named ports; half entrance fees to the winner; weights as per scale; entrance \$10. One mile and a quarter.

Mr. Bruce's br. Timekeeper, 10st. ob......

work is being carried on at present. I will not Mr. Boyd's ro. Duncon, rist. 11b. Mr. Bartleet 2 Mr. Dryasdust's gr. Shawnee, 11s'. 11b....... the difference between preference shares, if not of the meeting; the kernest interest men and the invourie went off at score and had: centring in the destiny of the Cup; not so much | the field to themselves until the turn for home, perhaps for its intrinsic value as for the genuine | when Expectation was brought up with a rush regard in which the memory of its donor is cloring Common fairly in on All Fours, who had: held by the residents of Amoy. It was first | no option but to pull up. Mr. Dillas seeing his;

was again in first class condition there was a place. Time I min. 59 4-5th secs. decided feeling that the Douglas Challenge Cup was about to be run for for the last time. 'And such proved to be the case, for by the gallant little brown's second victory the Bruce ; and those who know him best gradge. him least the prize he has won. The condition necessitating the "e evation" of Forchow, Formosa and Amoy " locks" made the field small one and even before the flag fell the odds were a horse to a ben that the race was the additional one of the rails. The three popies In reply to Mr. Rapp, the Chairman said that got off well abreast, Du oon and the favourite making the pace a bit merry, while Shawned The positions were never materially altered excepting that Shawnes closed up a bit, and although Mr. Marshall rode a good and a hard race be was never able to get on terms with the roan, who was a length behind Timekeeper. As this was the second consecutive win for Mr. Wilson, a rising local "lock," both pony and vider received quite an ovation. Time aming.

> HARKWAN CUP, presented; value Hk. Tis. 100; for all China ponies first raced as Griffi is at Amoy; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. Que. mile and a quarter.

Mr. Hart Buck 2 Only two ponies faced the flag and the race resulted in an easy win for the veteran

FOOCHOW CUP, presented; value \$100; for al China ponies; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. One mile and three quarters. Mr. MacArthur's gr. Steadlast, 10st. 12lb.....

grey. Time amins. 52secs.

Mr. Meclean I General Wynner's gr. Boldheart, 11st, 11b,..... Mr. Dallas 2 Mr. Dryasdust's gr. Shawnee, 11st. 1lb......

Mr. Marshall, 3 Boldheart and Shawnee carried the bullion of the backers, for this event, esp. cially as-Orange, the retiring director, and spoke in the Steadisst had suddenly developed, steeplecharing propensities and a hankering for Mr., Grunenwald's cr. Evolutin, rist. olb. and especially the chairman, in pulling the his stable hithern undiscovered, and there qualities were fully manifested in the race. for when leading the first lime - round he Mr. Rapp seconded the motion, which was | boited for the Mainstay bridge and before he could be stended he had lest about fifty yards. Settling down, however, and running more charity be set down as pure accident. They announce that at last we have practically Holmes, the auditors (Mesers, P. Henderson | kindly he carre with a wet sail two furlor ga from herme and landed a winner by a couple of

RACE COURSE PLATE, value \$100; 200 pony \$25; for Amoy Subscription Griffi and Uni-Cup 5lbs, extra or of hoth 7lbs, extra waiting as per scale; entrance \$5. One mile. Mr. Pug's b. Filge'; 11st. 11b Mr. Mastery ...

Mr. Quartette's dun All Fours, 11st 416 Mr. Maclean 2 Mr. Wafil is gr. Mayflower, tost. 12lb. Mr. Partle Mr. Boyd's g. Danbarton, 11st, 11b. Mr. Wilson o

Mr. McThorn's ch. Kodak, 11st. 1lb.... Mr. Schabert's rean Freischutz zist, alb Mr. Marsha'l o

Fidget, who was a strong favourite, accompanied by All Fours and Freischu's, drew away at the start, and the trie busiled along abrenst for the first round when the last named burst a blood-vessel in his head and drepped away to the rest, leaving All Fours and the favourite to fight the battle alone, and the latter having the beels of his apparent won comfortably by three long ha; Maj flawer a good third. Time 2 mins, 19 secs. AMOY STAKES, a forced entry of \$10 each for all

ponies entered at this meeting ; lat pony to receive 70 per cent.; and 20 per cent.; and so per cent.; wei his as per scale. One mile and a quarter.

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Mr. Marshall o Mr. Dryasdust's cr. Primrose, rist, 115..... Mr. Marshall o Mr. Boyd's bl. Petronel, 10st. olb ... Mr. Wilson o Mr. Boyd's r. Duncraggan, 10 t. 12 b.....

Mr. Hart Buck o Congo, of course, had most backers but Timekeeper and Aristocrat were also fancied. A fine start was effected; Congo and Primrose making the pare a cracker, the latter on the rails. Pessing the main entrance, however, Primrose teleped up, nearly spinning his rider out of the saddle. and dropped into the ruck. Aristocrar then challenged the lead-r and a splendid race ensued up the bick straight, but the gallant little Foochow representative stalled off the rush and entered the run for home a length or two from Timekeeper, who had been ridden into second place and notwithstanding the splendid rash with which he was brought up at the firish, Congo passed the post a winner by half a length. Aristocrat a good third. Time 2 mins 481 secs.

SECOND DAY,—TUESDAY, JANUARY 9TH. 1894. The attendance was again large, the weather delightfully fine and the racing intere tieg; and excepting the defeat of Congo in the Exchange Plate and the victory of the invalided Freischutz in the Coast Cup, there were no great surprises. Order was admirably maintained urtil late in: the afternoon when the race for the T. Maa-chin Platewas being run. A aquabble be when some foreign employed gig-men and a saty of "braves" recurred and quickly developed into a free fight a which the race-course rails were brought into requisition and a gene al scattering of the crowdresulted Sometwenty you geters then ran across the track immediately in front of the pories, and it seemed for a minute or two that a general smoothing would take place; luckily, however, only two of them were knocked down and even these were not seriously butt. The result of this little episade was that the giz-men were not allowed to at end the races on the following d.y, when everything passed off plessantly.

COMPRADORES' CUP, presented; value \$100; and posty \$25; for mor Subscription Giffins of this season; winner of one race 7lhs. ex ra, of two or more rolbs, extra; previous nonstarters 7lbs. ex ra; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. Seven fusiongs.

Mr. Grunenwald's cr. Evolution, 11st. 11h Mr. Dallas I Mr. Pug's wh. Expectation, rost, ralb. Mr. Muster 2 Mr. Pubbelew's gr. Common, 11st Flb (incl.

Mr. Quartette's dun Ali Fours, 11st. 4!b

Mr. Maclean 🐟 Mr. Waffle's g. Marflower, 11st. 1lb. (incl. All Fours was perhaps the most strongly Mr. Murshall 3 supported of the five starters, but fieled to justify Locally viewed this was the race of the day, the confidence that was placed in him. Comcompeted for in '03, when it was won by Time- chance, shot through on Evolution and won a fine keeper, and as that rattling good little pony race by a neck; Common well up for third

> CHALLENGE CUP. value \$250; a forced entry for all Amoy and Formora owned ponies, optional to Sub-cription Griffins of this seven; half the entrance fees to the winner, until the Cup is. finally won, when the second pony shall; receive half the entrance fees; to be won two. consecutive mee i gs, by a pony or ponles, the bond fide property of the same owner or-Owners; weights as per scale; entrarice \$100 Ope mile.

Mr. August's gr. Democrat, 10st. 12th. (incl. Mr. Dayasdust's cr. Primrose, 1 st. 1lb....... Mr. Miarshall 2 Mr. Boyd's dun Duncisggan, Icst. 12'lo...... Mr. Hart Buck 4

Democrat had a bit the best of the start, but was soon fo lowed by Primrose, the dun lying last and there positions remained unchanged to the end; Democrat romplog in alone. Time amins. 12 4-5th secs. VISITORS' CUP, presented; value \$100; for all China por lest winner of Food how Cup yibs.

extras weights as per scale; ent rance \$5. Two General Wynnor's gr. Boldheart, 11st. 11b.....

Mr. MacArthur's gr. Steadfast, Trat. 71b. (incl. 710. CX Jassiniana arrestante Mr. Maclean 2 Ic. Dryasdust's gr. Shawnee, 17st. 11b......

This was not a very exciting race. Boldheart,

getting off with a lead of about ten lengths, streamed away throughout, and despite the ulmost efforts of the penalised Siesdisst, eventually wen, with a couple of lengths to the good; about the same distance separati githe second and third ponies. Time 4mins, 38 2-5 ths secs. CHAASZE CUP, presented; value \$100; and pony \$25; for Amoy Subscription G. Iffins of this

sesson; winners 5lbs. extra for each race won; previous non-starters, 71bs. extra; weights as per scale; entrancia &c. One mile and a Quarter.

Mr. Pug's b. Fidget, 11st. 6lb. (incl. 5lb. ex.) Mr. Dubbellew's gr. Common, 11st. 6.b (mcl.

An easy win for Fi iget, who led the whole way. Time 2 roins, 55-4-5th secs.

EXCHANGE PLATE, presented; value \$100; for all China popler & Subscription Griffins of this sasan allowed Sibili winners & bil extra for each race won; weights as per scale; entiance \$5. These quarters of a mile.